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FOR COMMERCE-BIC/MEPD-JAY SMITH

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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: GOM RAILROAD MISSION

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1. AS REQUESTED REFTTEL, GOM RAILROAD MISSION IS INTERESTED IN OPERATIONAL CONTROL SYSTEM, MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR SHOPS, AND TICKET SALES INSTALLATIONS AND SYSTEMS OF BART AND METRO SYSTEM, IN ADDITION TO CARS THEMSELVES.

2. PARSONS SPOKE TODAY WITH A MR. CRANS OF ROHR INDUSTRIES, PROGRAM MANAGER OF BART AND DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION FOR RAIL SYSTEMS (TEL: 714-575-2513). HE FORESAW DIFFICULTIES WITH PRESENTATION BY ROHR DURING VISIT TO BART IN VIEW OF LITIGATION, BUT WOULD LIKE TO HAVE SPECIAL SESSION FOR MISSION WITH ROHR OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON WORKING ON METRO. REQUEST SMITH CONTACT WASHINGTON ROHR REP IN ORDER TO FOLLOW UP. CRANS INVITED MISSION TO VISIT ROHR FACILITY AT CHULA VISTA, BUT THIS WAS EXPLAINED AS BEING IMPOSSIBLE DUE TO LATE DATE. PARSONS ALSO SUGGESTED THAT ROHR CONSIDER HOSTING DINNER FOR MISSION IN WASHINGTON, BUT NO COMMITMENT WAS MADE. THOMPSON

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